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Examiner: Unknown	Group Art: Unknown

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, Applicants are aware of the following reference. The applicants wish to call this reference to the attention of the Examiner to satisfy the disclosure requirements. A copy of the reference is enclosed for the Examiner's review (see attached form).

General Discussion of the Cited Reference

U.S. Patent No. 4,330,655 to Bullard issued May 18, 1982 relates to olefin fractions containing predominantly C10 olefins polymerized to yield resinous product having and softening point of 130° C to 150° C and some as high as 160° C.

It is believed that the claims of the current invention are patentably distinguishable from the claims of the art cited above but applicants hereby fulfill their duty of disclosure. Applicants respectfully request consideration and allowance of the claims requested.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

1. In Regard to the above-identified application, we are submitting the attached:
1 Pg Supplemental IDS with 1 Pg Modified Form 1449 and References: H.B. Fuller Company Transmittal Letter; Post Card
2. With respect to fees:
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CONDITIONAL PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

3. This conditional petition is being filed along with the papers identified in Item 1 above and provides for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time. If any extension of time for the accompanying response is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.
4. Please charge any additional fees for credit overpayment associated with this communication to the Deposit Account No. 06-2241

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